Florida Chamber of Commerce 2018 Permitting School July 18, 2018 1:30 -3:10 pm || panel: "State Assumption of the Federal Wetland Permitting Program"

## QUESTIONS & ANSWERS from Jeaneanne Gettle, U.S. EPA

What does Florida need to assume a 404 program?

Where is DEP in the process of negotiations with EPA/Corps/Services?

Where does the **Memorandum of Agreement** between EPA and FDEP stand?

Does EPA provide funding for assumed programs?

How likely is EPA approval of Florida's request to assume a 404 program?

Can a tribe assume administration of a 404 program?

Does EPA consult with tribes in a state requesting 404 assumption?

What other states have assumed 404 programs?

What does the review & approval process look like?

Is there any federal oversight of a state's program after assumption?